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1. A gaming device comprising:  
a controller that includes means for determining an amount of a player's wager;  
a plurality of awards;  
the wager including a plurality of different types of wagerable components;  
a display device connected to said controller;  
a game adapted to be displayed to a player by said display device, the controller requiring the player to select an amount for each of the wagerable components to operate the game; and  
said game having odds of said player winning a designated one of the awards, said odds of winning changing linearly due at least in part to a variation of odds in the game of obtaining an outcome predetermined to yield the designated award when either one or both of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes.

70. A gaming device comprising:  
a controller that includes means for determining an amount of a player's wager;  
a plurality of awards;  
the wager including a plurality of different types of wagerable components;  
a display device connected to said controller;  
a game adapted to be displayed to a player by said display device, the controller requiring the player to select an amount for each of the wagerable components to operate the game; and  
said game having odds of said player winning a designated one of the awards by obtaining a winning symbol combination on a designated payline, said odds of winning changing linearly due at least in part to a variation of odds in the game of obtaining said winning symbol combination on the designated payline ~~an outcome predetermined to yield the designated award~~ when either one or both of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes.

71. The gaming device of Claim 70, wherein the winning symbol combination is a single symbol.

72. A gaming device comprising:  
a controller that includes means for determining an amount of a player's wager;  
a plurality of awards;  
the wager including a plurality of different types of wagerable components;  
a display device connected to said controller;  
a game adapted to be displayed to a player by said display device, the controller requiring the player to select an amount for each of the wagerable components to operate the game; and  
said game having odds of said player winning a designated one of the awards, said odds of winning changing linearly due at least in part to a changing of a winning symbol combination ~~variation of odds in the game of obtaining an outcome~~ predetermined to yield the designated award from a first symbol combination to a second different symbol combination when either one or both of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes.

73. A gaming device comprising:  
a controller that includes means for determining an amount of a player's wager;  
a plurality of awards;  
the wager including a plurality of different types of wagerable components;  
a display device connected to said controller;  
a game adapted to be displayed to a player by said display device, the controller requiring the player to select an amount for each of the wagerable components to operate the game; and  
said game having odds of said player winning a designated one of the awards, said odds of winning changing linearly due at least in part to a variation of odds in the game of obtaining an outcome predetermined to yield the designated award ~~when~~;  
(a) when either any one or both of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes;  
(b) when any plurality of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes; and

(c) when all of the different types of wagerable components of said wager change.

74. A gaming device comprising:

a controller that includes means for determining an amount of a player's wager;  
a plurality of awards;

the wager including a plurality of different types of wagerable components, one of the types of wagerable components being a number of credits wagered on a single payline;

a display device connected to said controller;

a game adapted to be displayed to a player by said display device, the controller requiring the player to select an amount for each of the wagerable components to operate the game; and

said game having odds of said player winning a designated one of the awards, said odds of winning changing linearly due at least in part to a variation of odds in the game of obtaining an outcome predetermined to yield the designated award when either one or both of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes.

75. A gaming device comprising:

a controller that includes means for determining an amount of a player's wager;

a plurality of awards;

the wager including a plurality of different types of wagerable components, one of the types of wagerable components being a number of paylines wagered on, the number being at least one;

a display device connected to said controller;

a game adapted to be displayed to a player by said display device, , the controller requiring the player to select an amount for each of the wagerable components to operate the game; and

said game having odds of said player winning a designated one of the awards, said odds of winning changing linearly due at least in part to a variation of odds in the game of obtaining an outcome predetermined to yield the designated award when either one or both of the different types of wagerable components of said wager changes.

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